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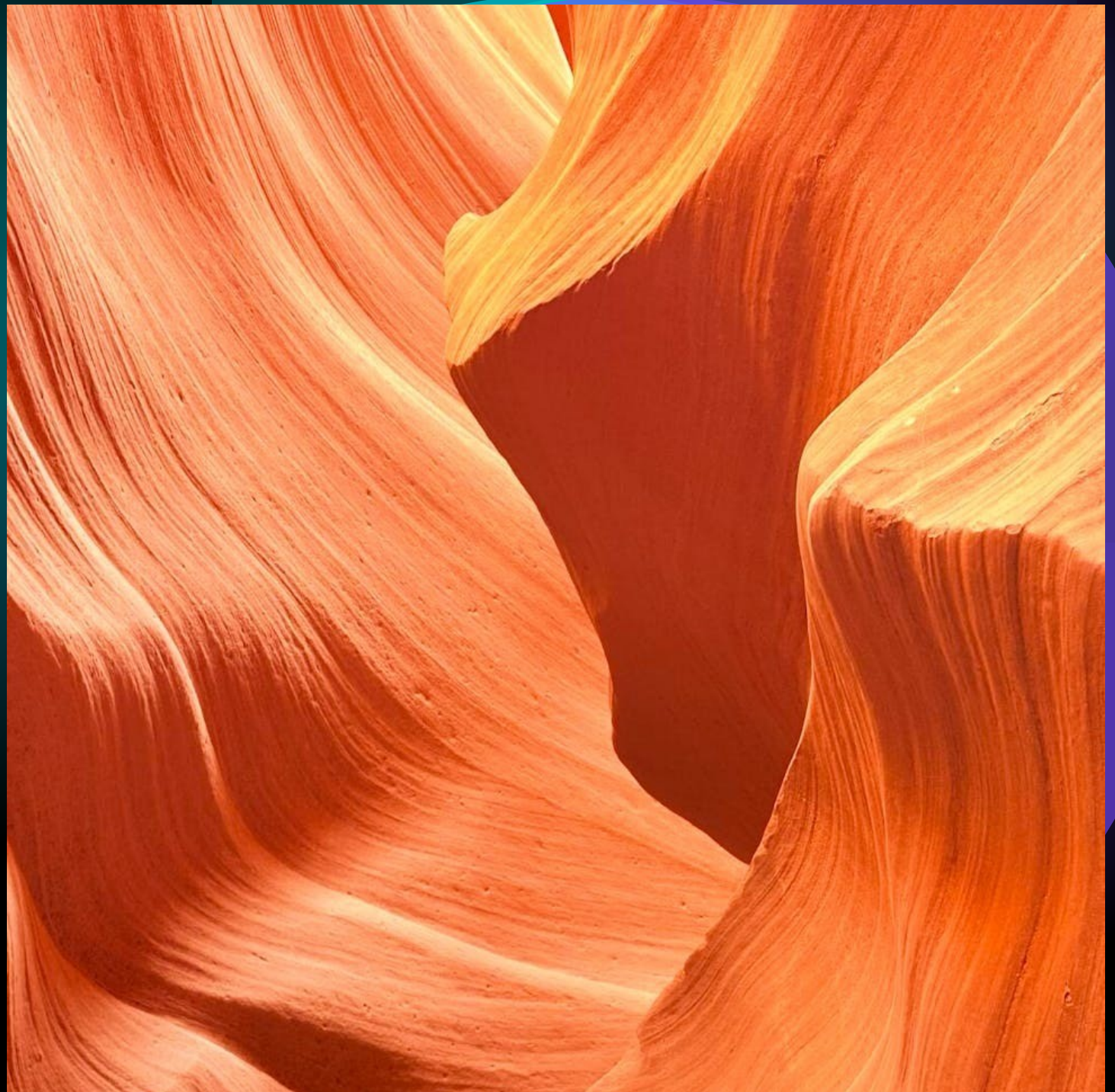

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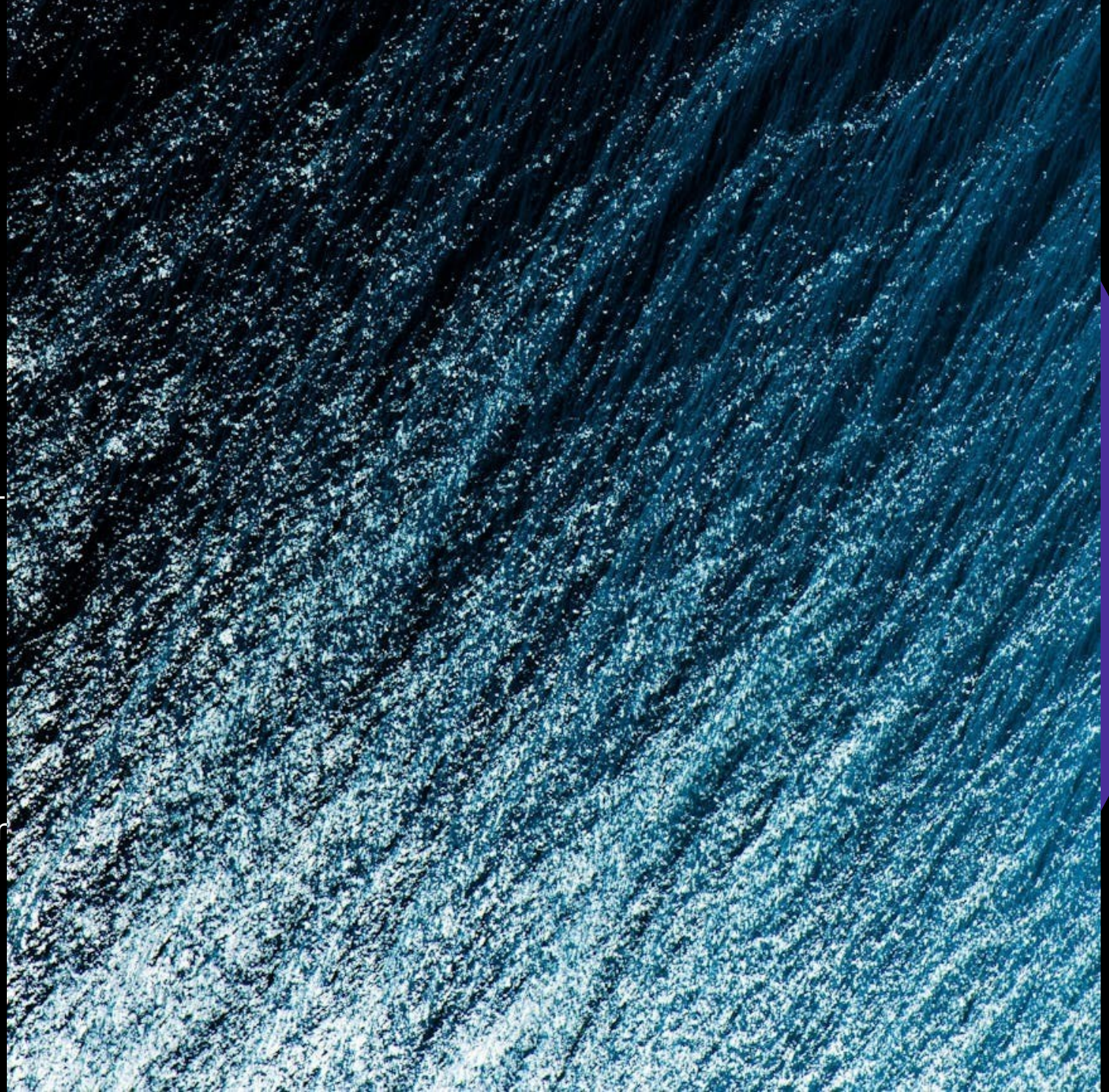
- Setra is a renowned German bus brand under Daimler Buses, known for its innovative design, luxury, and high-quality touring coaches. Established in 1951, Setra, the eminent German bus brand birthed by Daimler Truck, has been transforming human transportation. The brand rapidly gained acclaim for its superior quality and reliability within the transport sector and continues to be a trailblazer in the field.



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Product Evolution and Models

- Setra has launched six major model series over its history:
- S 8 to S 10 (1950s): Early models with self-supporting bodies, rapid market adoption, and enhanced seat capacity
- 100 Series (1967): Introduced modular construction and angular designs with soft curves for improved comfort and headroom
- 200 Series (1976): Classic designs with separate driver and passenger ventilation, enhancing safety and practicality
- 300 Series (1991): Distinctive sweeping lines, ergonomic cockpit design, integral mirrors, and introduction of classifications: TopClass, ComfortClass, and MultiClass
- 400 Series (2001): A new dimension in touring coach designs, including intercity MultiClass, ComfortClass, and TopClass vehicles with over 20 variants
- 500 Series (2012 onwards): Premium touring coaches like ComfortClass 500 and TopClass 500, emphasizing aerodynamics, passenger safety, and double-decker models such as the S 531 DT

examples of Setra bus models

- Setra offers a range of bus models across three main series, each tailored to different transport needs—from luxury touring to efficient public service.
- TopClass Series
- Designed for premium long-distance travel with top-tier comfort and technology:
- • S 531 DT: Double-decker luxury coach with panoramic views and spacious interiors.
- • S 517 HDH: High-deck coach with advanced safety features and plush seating.
- • S 515 HDH: Ideal for VIP tours and high-end charter services.
- ComfortClass Series
- Versatile and efficient coaches for regional and long-haul routes:
- • S 511 HD: Compact “club bus” for small groups.
- • S 515 HD: Popular 12-meter coach with ample luggage space.
- • S 516 HD / S 516 HD/2: Two-axle and three-axle variants for increased capacity and agility.
- • S 517 HD: High-volume model with seating for up to 59 passengers.
- • S 519 HD: Optimized for maximum transport capacity.
- MultiClass Series
- Focused on public transport and intercity service:
- • MultiClass 500 LE: Low-entry design for accessibility and efficiency.
- • S 319 UL: High-capacity intercity bus with up to 19 seat rows.
- Each model reflects Setra’s commitment to safety, comfort, and innovation. If you’d like a comparison chart or want to explore which model suits a specific use case—like tourism, school transport, or city service

Setra Bus Capacity Comparison

Model	Series	Typical Seating Capacity	Notes
S 531 DT	TopClass	78–83	Double-decker; ideal for long-distance luxury travel
S 517 HDH	TopClass	59–65	High-deck; spacious luggage area
S 515 HDH	TopClass	53-59	Premium touring coach
S 519 HD	ComfortClass	59-63	High-capacity, three-axle coach
S 517 HD	ComfortClass	55-59	Popular for charter and intercity routes
S 516 HD	ComfortClass	53-57	Balanced size and comfort
S 515 HD	ComfortClass	49-53	Efficient for mid-sized groups
S 511 HD	ComfortClass	36-40	Compact “club bus” for small groups
MultiClass 500 LE	MultiClass	45-55	Low-entry; optimized for public transport
S 319 UL	MultiClass	Up to 63	High-density intercity layout

best use cases for each model

- TopClass Series — Premium Touring & VIP Travel
- These are Setra’s flagship luxury coaches, ideal for high-end experiences.

Model	Best Use Cases
S 531 DT	Luxury double-decker tours, long-distance travel with panoramic views, VIP charters
S 517 HDH	Premium intercity routes, executive travel, upscale tourism
S 515 HDH	Boutique travel experiences, high-comfort regional tours

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- 🚌 ComfortClass Series — Versatile Charter & Intercity Service
- Balanced between comfort and efficiency, perfect for general transport needs.

Model	Best Use Cases
S 511 HD	Small group travel, club outings, shuttle services
S 515 HD	Mid-size charter operations, school trips, regional tourism
S 516 HD	Intercity routes, tour operators needing flexibility
S 517 HD	High-capacity charter services, long-haul travel
S 519 HD	Maximum passenger volume for busy routes or large groups

best use cases for each model

- MultiClass Series — Public Transport & Regional Connectivity
- Optimized for accessibility, efficiency, and frequent stops.

Model	Best Use Cases
MultiClass 500 LE	City and suburban public transport, low-entry for easy boarding
S 319 UL	Intercity commuter routes, school transport, regional transit with high seating density